

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace the paragraph at page 3, lns. 9-16 of the original specification (or page 2, ln. 25- page 3, ln. 2 of the substitute specification) with the following amended paragraph:

At this point, the voltage of the current supply line ~~205~~ 203 drops as the current supply line ~~205~~ is 203 moves towards the bottom of the diagram due to the influence of the voltage drop. That is, a voltage V_1 that was in the upper part of the pixel portion becomes a voltage V_2 in the lower part of the pixel portion, becoming a relationship of $V_1 > V_2$. This influence becomes more conspicuous as the area of the pixel portion (image display region) is made larger.

Please replace the paragraph at page 11, lns. 13-21 of the original specification (or page 9, lns. 3-11 of the substitute specification) with the following amended paragraph:

In Fig. 3A, reference symbol 300 denotes a first printed wiring board, and a wiring 301 for aiding a current supply line (hereinafter referred to as current supply auxiliary line) is formed thereon. In the present specification, the current supply line is a wiring for supplying a current, which flows to an EL element, to each EL element, and the wiring for aiding the current supply line is a wiring that is connected in parallel to the current supply line in order to reduce the apparent wiring resistance of the current supply line. The wiring for aiding the current supply line can be made of a metallic film of copper, silver, gold, aluminum or nickel, or an alloy film containing as a main component a material selected from copper, silver, gold, aluminum, or nickel. Also, the wiring for aiding the current supply line can be formed into a layered structure made of a metallic film that is made of two or more different elements selected from copper, silver, gold, aluminum and nickel.